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Atty. Docket No. INT21246

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA)
REQUEST TRANSMITTAL
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d)

Prior Application:

Inventor: Edgar C. ROBINSON
Examiner: D. LEE
Art Unit: 3743
Express Mail Label No.: EK738616238USEXPRESS MAIL POST OFFICE TO ADDRESSEEATTENTION: BOX CPA (CONTINUATION PROSECUTION APPLICATION)Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Box CPA
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a:

☒ Continuation
☐ Divisionalapplication under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d), (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application serial no. 08/851,465 filed on May 5, 1997, entitled MULTI-FUEL INFRARED BURNER WITH ADJUSTABLE METERING VALVE. 1. Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.☒ 2. A preliminary amendment will be filed shortly.

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(a) _____ DELETE the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:

(b) _____ the inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.

4. _____ A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.

5. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:

(a) _____ PTO-1449

(b) _____ Copies of IDS Citations

The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 1 above:

Total claims [8]*

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Total independent claims [1]**

(A fee is paid for each independent claim in excess of 3)

Multiple dependent claim 0***

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6. Small entity status:

- a. _____ A small entity statement is enclosed, if (b) and (c) do not apply.
- b. X A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
- c. _____ is no longer claimed.

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8. X A cheque in the amount of \$445.- is enclosed which consists of the required fee for a three (3) month extension of time.

9. Other: _____

Respectfully submitted,

Edgar C. ROBINSON

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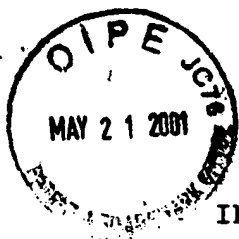
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Edgar C. ROBINSON : INTERNATIONAL THERMAL
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Respectfully submitted,

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